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DESIGNATING THE OFFICIAL STATE AGENCY FOR COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH PLANNING AS PROVIDED BY PUBLIC LAW 89-749

WHEREAS, the 89th Congress of the United States passed Public Law 89-749, otherwise known as the Comprehensive Health Planning and Public Health Services Amendments of 1966; and

WHEREAS, said law provides certain assistance and other benefits to those of the several states which have designated a state agency for administering or supervising the administration of the state's health planning functions; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of this State, recognizing the changing character of health problems, that comprehensive planning for health services, health manpower, and health facilities is essential at every level of government and that desirable administration requires the full cooperation of all governmental and non-governmental agencies, organizations and groups concerned with health services, manpower or facilities;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Arizona, by the Arizona Constitution and the laws of Arizona, it is ordered as follows:

- (A) THAT the agency designated as the official state agency to engage in comprehensive health planning for this State is to be the Comprehensive Health Planning Council consisting of the Chairman of the Arizona Board of Health, the Chairman of the Arizona State Hospii Board and the Chairman of the Children's Colony Board, to administer or supervise the administration of the State's health planning functions and to do all things for which it is authorized under the laws of this State that may be necessary and desirable to cause the State of Arizona to comply with Public Law 89-749; and
- (B) THAT pursuant to the directive of Public Law 89-749 the Comprehensive Health Planning Council shall establish a State Health Planning Council which shall include representatives of state and local agencies and non-governmental organizations and groups comerned with health and consumers of health services, to advise the Comprehensive Health Planning Council concerning such comprehensive health planning and the provision of public health services; the members of the State Health Planning Advisory Council may be paid per diem, subsistence and travel expenses incurred in connection with official council meetings as is provided by law for officers of the State; and

(C) THAT all officers, employees and agencies of the State and of the several subdivisions thereof, and all of the citizens of the State that are concerned with health services, manpower or facilities are urged to cooperate with the Comprehensive Health Planning Council in the preparation and administration of a comprehensive health plan for the State of Arizona, for the better coordination of their respective activities relating to health planning and the provision of health services and for their mutual benefit and for the benefit of all the citizens of this State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix this 11th day of May in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty Seven and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Ninety-first.

GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

